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September 23, 1960

Dr. J. Lederberg Stanford University Palo Alto, California

Dear Josh:

I am enclosing herewith a statement in support of the election of Dr. Welch to the Hall of Fame. If you approve, and are willing to endorse this statement, I would appreciate your returning the signed statement to me at your earliest convenience so that it and the proposed supplementary letter can be duplicated and mailed to the individual Electors as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

E. L. Tatum

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